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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 23 July 2010 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☒ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

a) The IDS filed 07/23/2010 is deemed to be proper for entry since its compliance is established in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

b) Initialed and signed IDS filed 07/23/2010 is attached. The attached IDS filed 07/23/2010 does not affect patentability because the cited references do not read on the instant claims. Specifically, JP 01-252-125 teaches an epoxy resin composition useful for producing resin-sealed semiconductor device comprising a curing agent, but fails to teach an epoxy resin defined by the claimed General Formula (I). Accordingly, the reasons for allowance mailed 07/23/2010 remains valid.

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